

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

MELVIN WILLIES,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	No.: 3:24-CV-358-TAV-DCP
	)	
BENJAMIN B. WILKINS and	)	
JOSEPH S. OZMENT,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**ORDER**

This civil matter is before the Court on a Report and Recommendation (“R&R”) entered by United States Magistrate Judge Debra C. Poplin on November 6, 2024 [Doc. 12]. In the R&R, the magistrate judge recommends that the Court dismiss plaintiff’s complaint. There have been no timely objections to the R&R, and enough time has passed since the filing of the R&R to treat any objections as waived. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1); Fed. R. Civ. P. 6(d), 72(b).

After careful review of the matter, the Court agrees with the magistrate judge’s recommendations. Accordingly, the Court **ACCEPTS and ADOPTS** in full the R&R [Doc. 12] pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1). Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that plaintiff’s case is **DISMISSED**. The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to **CLOSE** this case.

ENTER:

s/ Thomas A. Varlan  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE